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TWO TRACK RECORDS BROKEN LAST WEEK

Gould Academy's thirdeade came through in their third meet, to amass 70 points to win over Fryeburg Academy with 49 and Farmington High School with 24 points. Two track records were broken as Jerry Davis heaved the discus 133 ft. 5 inches which Bob Churchill, of Fryeburg, high jumped 5 ft. 8 1/2 inches. Farmington High was handicapped with the loss of Brinkman one of their better men.

Jerry Davis was high point man with 14 points followed by Ireland and Hopkins of Fryeburg with 11 points each. Ireland of Gould with first in the two hurdle races and Eastman of Fryeburg with first in the mile and 880 were the only double winners of the meet.

The scoring was as follows:

Gould Frye, Farm.			
Low hurdles	7	1	1
Discus	6	1	1
100 yd. dash	8	2	1
Pole vault	8 1/2	4	1/2
Mile	3	5	2
440 yd. dash	3	0	2
Broad jump	4	1	2
High hurdles	7	3	1
Javelin	5	8	0
Half mile	3	5	2
220 yd. dash	5	1	5
Shot put	3	7	1
High jump	4 1/2	5	1 1/2
TOTALS	70	49	24

Summary:
High hurdles: 1 Ireland (G), 2 Hopkins (F), 3 Farrington (G), 4 Rackliffe (FHS). Time, 17.4 sec.
Discus: 1 Davis (G), 2 Pierce (F), 3 Gray (FHS), 4 Adams (G). Distance, 133 ft. 5 in.
100 yd. dash: 1 Klein (G), 2 Smith (G), 3 Roberts (F), 4 Kenney (FHS). Time, 11.2 sec.
Pole vault: Tie for first between Melville (G) and Emerson (F), 3 Smith (G), tie for 4th between R. Davis (G) and Gray (FHS). Height, 9 ft. 3 in.
Mile: 1 Eastman (F), 2 Godling (FHS), 3 Hiekoex (G), 4 Hertel (G). Time, 43.6 sec.
440 yd. dash: 1 Stinchfield (G), 2 Green (FHS), 3 Jordan (G), 4 Noyes (G). Time, 56 sec.
Broad jump: 1 Hopkins (F), 2 Davis (G), 3 Roux (FHS), 4 Ireland (G). Distance, 19 ft. 8 1/2 in.
Low hurdles: 1 Ireland (G), 2 Hopkins (F), 3 Farrington (G), 4 Gray (FHS). Time, 13.4 sec.
Javelin: 1 Davey (F), 2 Adams (G), 3 Smith (G), 4 Small (F). Distance, 155 ft. 8 in.
Half mile: 1 Eastman (F), 2 Godling (FHS), 2 Philbrick (G), 4 Melville (G). Time, 2 min. 52 sec.
220 yd. dash: 1 Kenney (FHS), 2 Stinchfield (G), 3 Klein (G), 4 Roberts (F). Time, 25.4 sec.
Shot put: 1 Pierce (F), 2 Davis (G), 3 Small (F), 4 Luce (FHS). Distance, 41 ft. 10 1/2 in.
High jump: 1 Churchill (F), 2 Davis (G), tie for 3rd between Strowne (G) and Roux (FHS). Height, 5 ft. 8 1/2 in.
Those who scored 5 or more points for Gould were Melville 5, Klein 7, Smith 7, Stinchfield 6, Ireland 11 and Davis 14.

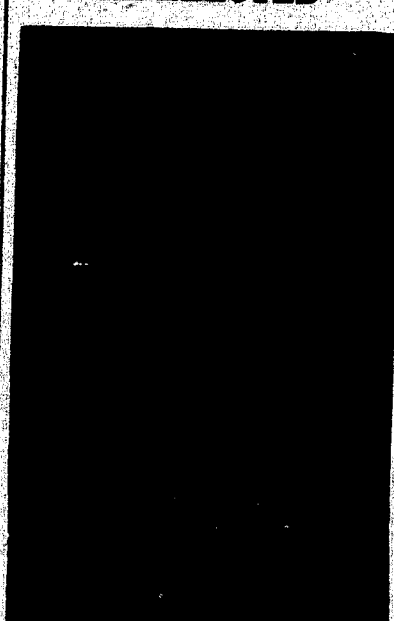
JOINT BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Barbara Sprague and Ralph Merrill were given a birthday party Saturday afternoon in honor of their seventh and eleventh birthdays. Refreshments and games were enjoyed and many nice gifts were received by both.

Those present were: Myrna, Kaye and Loretta Blake, Gerald Wight, Jane, Joan, and Malcolm Bennett, Henrietta Swain, Nina and Gilbert Haines, Diane and Kenneth Pease, Martha Brown, Camella Whitman, Connie Bean, Carol Hutchins, Charlene Swain, Charlie, Evelyn, Lawrence and Carolyn Sprague, Arlene Hamner, Connie Merrill, Mrs. Helen Sprague and Mrs. Natalie Wight.

G. L. KNEELAND, D. O. will be away from his office from **Saturday Noon, May 22 UNTIL Tuesday Night, May 25**

RE-ELECTED



DONALD M. CHRISTIE, who has accepted the local superintendent of schools position for the salary of \$4,000. Re-elected at the annual meeting of the school union committee members several weeks ago, his decision to stay here has just been announced.

BETHEL PTA HOLDS FINAL MEETING OF SCHOOL YEAR

Final meeting of the school year was held by the PTA at the Primary School Tuesday night. The nominating committee gave the slate of new officers: president, Frances Saunders; vice-president, Wilbur Myers; secretary, Helen Varner; treasurer, Ethel Blaboe. It was voted to elect a treasurer for the hot lunch program.

Mrs. Gerald Kneeland reported for finance committee—\$183.15 had been received for year's projects. The second grade won the attendance banner. The mystery package of the evening was won by Miss Helen Varner. A rising vote of thanks was given for the president, Mrs. Francis Noyes, for her work during the school year. Mrs. Noyes responded with thanks for all those who helped in making it a very successful year.

The evening's program was a pantomime, narrated by Elsie Waldron with the following cast: mother, Harriet Noyes; father, Dale Thurston; daughter, Barbara Wilson, plumber and hero, Richard Bryant; burglar, Donald Christie.

A quartet consisting of Doris Lord, Harriet Noyes, Ada Conner, and Elsie Waldron sang, "Dreams I Will Always Remember," and "Now Is The Hour."

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Theodore Emery, Mrs. Philip Chadbourne, Mrs. Kimball Ames, and Mrs. Clayton Fossett.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange met in regular session Saturday night, May 15 with all officers present.

Oxford Pomona will meet with Bear River Grange Tuesday night June 1. The Worthy Master appointed the following committee on arrangements: Addie Saunders, Ruth Stearns, Una Stearns, C. F. Saunders, L. E. Wight, A. Mothers Day program was presented by the Lecturer.

Visitors were present from Norway, Swift River, and Lone Mt. 20 members of Bear River Grange were present with 11 visitors also in attendance.

JACKSON-SILVER POST AMERICAN LEGION

Plans are materializing for Memorial Day. The speaker will be Rev. William Dudley of South Berwick, Department Chaplain of the American Legion. He will also speak at the Bryant Pond exercises.

The Post membership has reached 86 with the signing up of John Halsey of Milton and James Farrah of Bryant Pond.

County Commander and Mrs. Harold Marshall and family spent Mother's Day at the U. S. Veterans Facility in Togus as it was Hospital Day.

The meeting on May 20 will be election of officers for both the Post and the Unit. A good attendance is urged for this important meeting.

DR. BEACH, BACCALAUREATE SPEAKER HERE JUNE 6

Headmaster Elwood F. Ireland has announced that he has secured Dr. David Nelson Beach, minister of the First Church of Christ, New Haven, Conn., as speaker at the Commencement Baccalaureate exercises of the graduating class, to be held at 10:30 in the Congregational Church, Sunday, June 6.

Dr. Beach is a graduate of Phillips Andover, Yale University, Yale Divinity School, and the Bangor Theological Seminary. He is happily acquainted with Maine, having served as student minister at Millinocket while starting his career, and at present owning a summer home at Lucerne-in-Maine. Various pastorate have found him serving in Guilford, Conn., Pawtucket, R. I., Belmont, Springfield, and Plymouth, Mass., and Minneapolis, Minn.

Dr. Beach is a member of the Congregational Commission on the Ministry, and in 1933 the American International College conferred upon him an honorary D. D. degree. Further Maine ties which Dr. Beach has include a YMCA secretary's position on the campus of the University of Maine, and three high school years in Bangor.

"Your Own Town Meeting" will be the subject of Dr. Beach's baccalaureate address to the Academy seniors.

BETHEL PLAYERS TO HOLD SPECIAL MEETING NEXT TUESDAY, MAY 25

A special meeting of the Bethel Players will be held at the Community Room at 7:30 next Tuesday evening when the play reading committee will announce its final choice and the cast selected for the clubs next presentation. No definite date has been selected but it will be as soon as is consistent with adequate preparation.

The monthly meeting on Monday evening was well attended, the inclemency of the weather having no apparent effect upon the spirits of the greater percentage of the membership.

Following the business session an impromptu pantomime entitled "Trouble in the Cellar" was presented with the secretary, Mrs. Richard Waldron, as narrator. The following participated: Mrs. Francis Noyes, Barbara Wilson, Richmond, Roderick, Dale Thurston, and Richard Bryant.

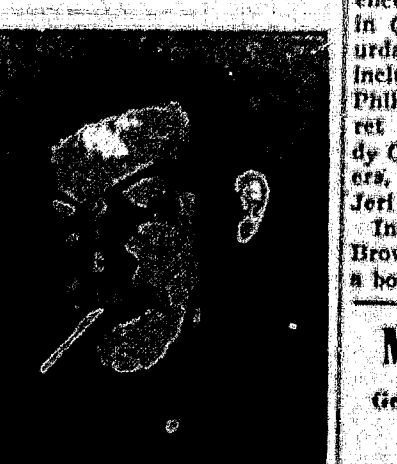
GOULD TEAMS AWAY THIS WEEKEND

Both the Gould truckmen and the baseball team will be competing away from home this weekend. Coach Joe Roderick takes his track and field men to Lewiston Saturday for the Bates Relays. Coach Bowhay's cluster will travel to Norway Saturday for a return game. Norway rallied in the 9th inning of the game at Bethel to win out 10 to 8. The team will be in there fighting to even the count this Saturday.

THIRTEEN CLUB MEMBERS ENTERTAIN HUSBANDS

A banquet was held Saturday evening at Hotel Sudbury by members of the Thirteen Club with their husbands as guests. Following the supper, dancing was enjoyed by the group.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Lohrman, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scothorne, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Chadbourne, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Young, Dr. and Mrs. Willard Boynton, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rowe and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry. Those unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Dana Brooks, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Francis Noyes, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. John Howe.



RED CURRAN... Maj. Gen. George Alexander, the Soviet's leading aviation expert in Bethel, is pictured as he hinted at new Red curran on air traffic between Berlin and the Western occupied zone.

AWARDED MEDAL



CLAYTON H. CROCKETT

Clayton Crockett Receives Bronze Star Medal

Mrs. Ray Crockett and son, Clayton Crockett were in Lewiston Saturday where he received the Bronze Star Medal which was awarded to him. He served three years in the U. S. Army, of this time 15 months was served overseas with the First Army. He was honorably discharged with a T-4 rating. He graduated from Gould Academy in 1941.

The citation was accompanied by the following card: War Department, Washington, D. C. It is an honor for me to forward this decoration.

ROBERT P. PATTERSON Secretary of War

Citation for Bronze Star Medal: Technician Fifth Grade Clayton H. Crockett, 78th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop, performed meritorious service in the European Theater of Operations from December 1944 to April 1945. As driver of the "point" vehicle in his platoon he displayed initiative and ability in carrying out his assignments in combat. His efforts were of substantial assistance to his commanding officer in the accomplishment of his missions. (SEAL)

STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT CLOSES FOUR OFFICES

The closing of four district offices in the State Department of Health and Welfare "in the interests of economy and efficiency" was announced today by Commissioner David H. Stevens.

The offices to be closed are located at Rumford, South Paris, Lincoln and Dover-Foxcroft, but both welfare and health services will continue to be maintained in those towns, Mr. Stevens said.

The district offices at Brunswick and Damariscotta will be closed and the work and records transferred to a new office to be located in the Bath City Building and to the present district office at Rockland, according to the Commissioner.

Mr. Stevens emphasized in his announcement of the changes most of which are to become effective June 1, the welfare workers and nurses now located in the towns where offices are to be closed would maintain their present residences. In addition, welfare workers will have definite schedules of interviews at town offices for the convenience of the public.

The move is in line with recommendations made to the 63rd Legislature to stream-line departmental operations, according to Commissioner Stevens.

PIANO PUPILS IN RECITAL

The piano pupils of Mrs. Florence S. Emery presented a recital in Garland Memorial Chapel, Saturday evening. Those taking part included: Anna Carter, Charlene Philbrick, Richard Roberts, Margaret Noyes, Betty Lou York, Buddy Conner, Mary Ford, Sandra Myers, Barry York, Glenyce Berry, Jeri Brown and Richard Emery.

In behalf of the pupils, Jeri Brown presented Mrs. Emery with a bouquet of flowers.

MEMORIAL DANCE

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LEGION AUXILIARY COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS TUESDAY

Mrs. Pollard of Togus was the speaker at the meeting of the Oxford County Council, American Legion Auxiliary, at Buckfield Tuesday evening. Gold Star Mothers were honored and officers were elected as follows:—president, Ada Balentine, West Paris; 1st vice-president, Rena Howe, Locke Mills; 2nd vice-president, Florence Brett, Oxford; secretary, Elsie Barnes, South Paris; treasurer, Hilda Donahue, Bethel; chaplain, Nora Archibald, Dixfield; historian, Adeline Dexter, Bethel.

Those from Bethel attending the Legion and Auxiliary meetings were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dexter, Mrs. Lottie Bartlett, Mrs. Gladys Bean, Mrs. Katherine Bennett, Mrs. Frances Bennett, Mrs. Hortense Chapman, Mrs. Selma Chapman, Mrs. Ruth Dorion, Mrs. Mary Moore, Mrs. Hilda Donahue, Mrs. Iola Forbes, Roderick McMillin, and Arthur Guernsey.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

David Boynton is confined with chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dexter spent the week end at Bath.

Mrs. Sybil LeClair has been spending several days in Portland.

John P. Howe remains quite ill with pneumonia at his home on Broad Street.

The May 26 meeting of the Eleanor Gordon Guild has been postponed to June 2.

Mrs. Grant Maxson is spending a while with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sanborn.

Mrs. Myra Woodworth of South Paris is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Scothorne, and family.

Mrs. Cheslie Saunders and Mrs. L. E. Davis recently attended the Methodist Conference held in Rockland.

Lyman Wheeler of Phillips, a former Bethel resident, is ill at the Franklin County Memorial Hospital, Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Compass left Tuesday for Grant's Camps, Kennebago, where they have employment during the coming season.

The Rev. and Mrs. Burton Linscott, son John and daughter Elizabeth arrived Tuesday from Kailakua, Hawaii, for a three months vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sanborn returned to their home on West Bethel Flat Sunday. They have spent the past winter with their daughter in South Portland.

Timothy Hutchins, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hutchins, who was a patient at the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, last week, returned Saturday, improved in health.

Charlotte Ordway, R. N., recently visited her sister, Mrs. Stanley Brown, several days. She went to Lewiston Tuesday, where she is employed in the C. M. G. Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Grover Brooks went to Boston Tuesday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Jack Lane, who had spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Dana Brooks Jr. and son.



BACK HOME... Richard Graves, the erstwhile mayor of Jerusalem, is shown being interviewed by a reporter on his arrival in London. Graves was one of a group of 100 British officials who flew home after leaving Palestine.

ANNUAL POPPY DRIVE AIDS NEEDY CHILDREN

Aiding needy children of war veterans is one of the things accomplished by the memorial poppy which the American Legion Auxiliary will ask everyone to wear in honor of the war dead on Poppy Day, Saturday, May 29. Mrs. Adeline Dexter, Child Welfare Chairman of the local Auxiliary Unit, told a meeting of the Unit.

"The number of children of veterans needing aid is increasing," she said, "making it more important than ever to have a generous response to the Poppy Day appeal. It is a bitter experience for a man who gave his health and strength in the nation's defense to see that his sacrifices mean suffering for his family."

"I know that we would like to do something for the families of these men who have done so much for us, and the memorial poppy gives us an opportunity to contribute to their welfare. Money received by the volunteer workers who distribute the poppies goes into Legion and Auxiliary rehabilitation and child welfare funds, where it works for disabled veterans and needy families throughout the year."

"When we honor the dead by wearing their memorial flower, we also help those who are still living in war's dark shadow."

SULLIVAN - CHAPIN

Miss Jane Chapin of Auburn and Richard Sullivan of Rumford were united in marriage Saturday evening at the Methodist parsonage with Rev. William Penner performing the ceremony. The couple were attended by the bride's sister, Miss Winona Chapin, and the bride's brother, Charles Chapin.

For her wedding the bride wore a white wool suit with luggage accessories and wore a corsage of red roses. The maid of honor wore a turquoise wool suit with luggage accessories and wore a corsage of pink roses.

Mrs. Sullivan, the daughter of Miss Chapin of Bethel, is a graduate of Gould Academy, and of the Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston. She served two years in the Army Nurse Corps and has recently been engaged in private duty nursing in Lewiston and Auburn.

Mr. Sullivan, son of Mrs. Fred Bernier of Dixfield, was graduated from Rumford schools and served 2 1/2 years in the Coast Guard. He is employed as steel foreman for Abernethy Construction Company, Portland, is a member of the American Legion and the Elks.

The couple left for a weeks honeymoon trip, after which they will reside in Portland.

ENOUGH RAIN FOR ALL IN PAST WEEK

Five days of fairly steady rainfall brought Maine rivers to their high point for the season Tuesday night. Before that time water levels in lakes were up enough to relieve some of the fears of power shortage, and a large acreage of farm lands were so saturated that no work can be done for a week or more. In some sections nearly four inches of rain fell in the five day period.

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LOOKING AHEAD

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JUST ROUTINE TACTICS

The "good" Communist is sworn to lie. Unfortunately, all the liars are not in Russia, nor even in the Communist Party in this country. Life would be much more simple if they were. However, among our so-called liberals, and even the fellow-travelers, there are those who are waking up to the fact that disclaim for plain old honesty and integrity is one of the chief characteristics of Communism. I know only one answer to the problem of the lie, and that is: truth.

If there were only one Communist in the world, folks with truth in their lives could isolate him easily enough. But when you admit the tactics of lying into international relationships, things begin to get complicated. It is indeed a real problem to deal with nations which lack moral integrity, and my sympathies go out to our statesmen who have to meet the Communists on international issues.

Nothing On Merit
To illustrate: Shortly after President Truman's message to Congress on European recovery, the Moscow radio announced: "The essence of the Marshall Plan is war." Marshall, the radio said, was out chiefly to assist American monopolies. Marshall was called the "intimate friend of Wall Street big wigs." It seems that to represent Secretary of State Marshall as imperialist, monopolist, oppressor, and warmonger is just routine Communist tactics.

Secretary Marshall is not an imperialist, and he is not trying to conduct a program in Europe in the interest of American monopolies, and so on, which fact everyone knows. Even the Russians who were saying those things knew the statements were untrue. Their method of defeating the Marshall Plan at that time was to misrepresent it. They didn't dare criticize it on its merits.

See The Methods
These statements were designed of course for the American public. To the American public this particular incident was perhaps of little importance in itself. However, it is useful in demonstrating the tactics used by Communists in America for several decades. These men knew at the start it would not be easy to undermine the American way of life. They realized their best method was to cause dissension and friction among groups in America.

The Communists apparently decided that the easiest way to create this friction would be to set labor and industry against each other. To this end they began picking out American industrialists and calling them profitless and capitalists disinterested in the welfare of the worker. They also misrepresented the amount of profits until many people think industrialists make ten times the profit actually made.

We can see quickly the absurdity of attacks on Secretary Marshall. But perhaps we have been slower to see the lies and misrepresentations used right here in our country against our own people. Our industrialists have worked unceasingly along with labor to help raise our standard of living. Only in America do the rank and file enjoy cars, radios, telephones, refrigerators and hundreds of other luxuries. Let's keep our thinking straight despite Communist tactics.

Dale Carnegie

Author of "HOW TO WIN FRIENDS and INFLUENCE PEOPLE"

TEN SUGGESTIONS FOR GAINING ATTENTION

GETTING and holding the attention of your listeners is the important thing in influencing them. Here are some suggestions that will help you to get and hold attention:

1. Visualize your audience ahead of time and determine just what approach you should make to interest that particular group.
2. Make courtesy and respect for your audience your keynote.
3. Approach your subject through the interest of your listeners. If you want to raise money for some project, show them how this project will benefit them.
4. Concentrate on the one big essential, the thing you want to accomplish.
5. Forget yourself when talking; think only of your subject.
6. Get attention by asking a few questions, the answers to which will convince you of the advisability of what you want to accomplish. (Don't overdo this.) If your audience is timid, pick out someone who would appear to have self-assurance and direct your question to him.
7. If possible, praise an effort that has already been made in the direction toward which you are aiming.
8. Select some emotional aspect of your subject and play it up. Speak calmly, working in your emotion at the proper place, and determine beforehand where this place should be.
9. If questions are asked, treat them with respect. Too often a speaker loses the friendship of a questioner, and sometimes the entire audience, by a supercilious attitude toward a query. If the question is not well expressed, repeat it in your own phrasing so that the other members of the audience will understand it.
10. Work carefully toward your point, then SIT DOWN. Many a cause has been lost because the speaker oversold himself.

If you can follow these rules, your speech will undoubtedly be successful. Neglect any one of them and the chances are you will flop.

THIS WEEK IN Washington

ONE of the bitterest fights in this Congress, all under the guise of states' rights, is the battle over the so-called tidelands oil bill. The measure is backed by a huge oil lobby but ostensibly the fight is being made on the basis of states' rights to pass the bill which some senators, including Senator Tobey of New Hampshire, say "would nullify, cast aside and destroy the decision of the supreme court of the United States."

The measure which would give to the states title to lands under the tidelands waters was whipped through the house by a vote of 267 to 29. It is now before the senate, and indications are that it will pass, but will be vetoed by President Truman since he vetoed much the same bill last year. Action of the Congress comes in the face of a supreme court decision which declares that marginal sea lands extending from low tide to the three-mile zone limit are the nation's sovereignty, since international law gives this nation jurisdiction over that much of the sea.

As a matter of fact, observers here declare the term "tidelands" is a misnomer in connection with the bill. Tidelands mean that part of the coast between low and high tide marks and the government has never laid claim to this land such as the land underneath the water in bays, harbors and inlets. Nor has the government ever laid claim to the beds of lakes nor streams within the boundaries of the states. What the supreme court referred to in its decision was the lands from low tide mark and extending into the sea to the three-mile limit. According to the interior department there is no way to estimate the riches lying beneath this water in oil needed for the national security. The bill would give all this land to the states which in turn would give it away to private oil companies for exploitation for private profit.

STARTING WITH AN ANGRY BATTLE over the committee to which it should be sent, proponents and opponents of the oleomargarine tax repeal bill jockeyed for hours when the measure, which has already passed the house by a decisive vote, reached the senate. So tense was the feeling that Senator Vandenberg, president of the senate and who has the power to assign bills to committees, demanded that the

OBSERVERS WATCHED with interest what they term an attempt to sabotage the Taft-Hartley-Wagner housing act by Sen. J. P. Cahn of Washington. Senator Cahn was one of the opponents of the bill which passed the senate and is now in the house.

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ABOVE THE HULLABALOO

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War of Men—Not Ideologies
BISHOP G. BROMLEY OXNAM is reported to have declared, in effect, that "saber rattling" could not be counted on to defeat an ideology. That whereas weapons of war might stop the advance of imperialistic armies, they could not stop "the infiltration of an idea."

The Bishop is correct up to a point—you cannot successfully combat an ideology with guns; but we are not fighting an ideology; we are fighting men—in a resurrection of that age-old struggle against Asiatic conquest of Europe which has bloodied the battlefields of Hungary, Poland, Italy, France and Spain for centuries—the battle to save western civilization from eastern tyranny. The ideology "communism" is but a false banner which would be an emulation of Attila the Hun wave in the faces of their prospective victims, and with which they draw the simple, and the unsuspecting, into their web.

True Communism does not exist in Russia. True communism precludes dictatorship, class distinction and the police state. If the Bolshevik overlords were interested in communism there would be a hundred and sixty million members of the Party in Russia—not six million.

The free states must bend every effort to make their people realize that they are facing powerful, crazy human beings—not some pink-tinted theory on the mode of living.

War is inevitable unless the current threatening trend is stopped. And war does not mean relief from the present almost intolerable condition of uncertainty. It means—for those still left alive—a condition so infinitely more awful as not to be comparable.

No, you can't fight an ideology with guns; but you can scare humans with guns if you have enough of them.

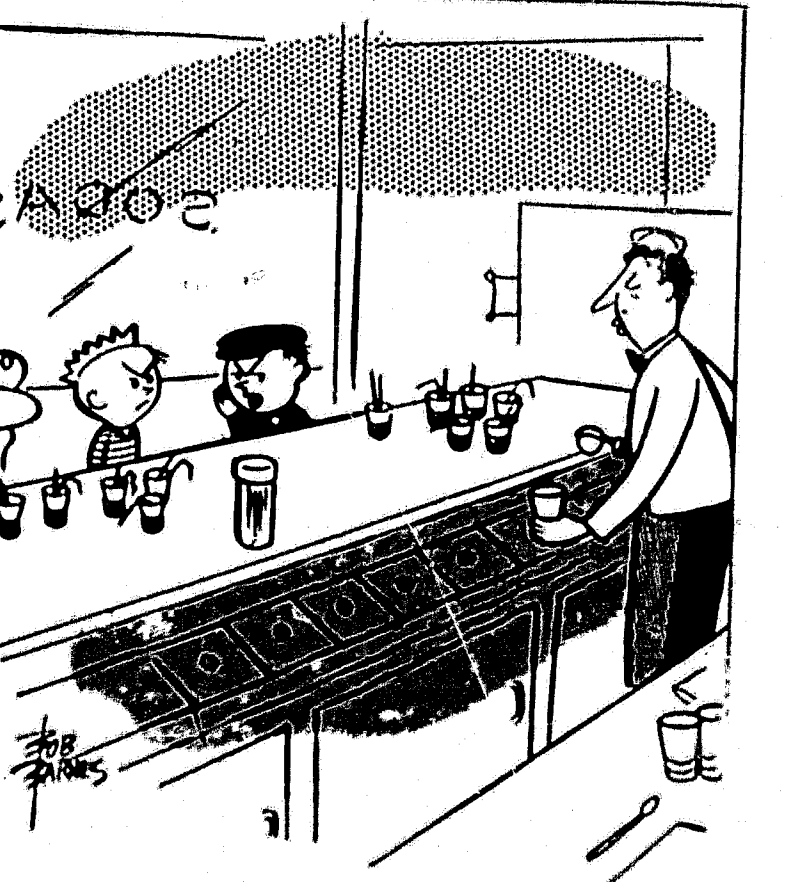
Let us discard the happy but dangerous theories of those who will not or cannot face facts. Let us realize that these present preliminary brushes are between man and man; between those who over a long period of time have developed a desirable way of life and those who like Hitler and others of the same ilk, want to rule them. It may be difficult for most of us to appreciate this passion for personal power, but it does exist. It has always existed, and has been the cause of more bloodshed than almost any other factor.

your brain budget

- 1.—Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt has received an honorary degree of doctor of law from Utrecht university, the first woman in the history of this ancient institution to receive this honor. Utrecht is in (a) France, (b) Germany, (c) Holland.
- 2.—The European aid planners expect to spend the most money on what commodity? (a) Farm machinery, (b) grain, (c) cotton.
- 3.—The Columbian revolution early in April cost the lives of (a) 50 persons, (b) 300 persons, (c) 1,500 persons.
- 4.—Walter Reuther, upon whose life an attempt was made recently, is president of (a) UMW, (b) ITU, (c) UAW.
- 5.—A 58th nation has been added to the United Nations. This nation is (a) Burma, (b) Italy, (c) Peru.

- ANSWERS**
1.—(c) Holland.
2.—(b) Grain.
3.—(c) 1,500 persons.
4.—(c) UAW.
5.—(a) Burma.

Laff of the Week



"Notice how he keeps makin' em weaker?"



CHERRY BLOSSOM QUEEN... In a setting of flowering cherry trees and pagodas, postmaster general Jesse M. Donaldson crowned 16-year-old Doris Skelton of Claymont, Del., queen of Washington's 1948 cherry blossom festival. The first cherry blossom queen ever chosen outside of Washington and in nationwide competition was escorted by her uncle, navy chief Kenneth G. Mayken.

BORN—Seymour Cincinnati, Ohio.
PARENTS—William Howard Howard Taft, president of the United States.
ENTERED—member of the House of Representatives.
While campaigning in the 1948 election, Mrs. Taft, a simple woman, a very brilliant education at the University of Cincinnati, and a trained well-to-do Senator Robert William Howard Taft, and grandson.

LOCKE MI—Mrs. Mary... The community Thursday evening Randa. ent including of and visitors. reported on the It was decided for the Men's at the town hall was appointed Gravelin, Mrs. Dora Ford, Mrs. Davis, chairman.

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Surveying the Candidates—

TAFT—his father was president



ROBERT TAFT

BORN—September 8, 1889, in Cincinnati, Ohio.

PARENTS—Mr. and Mrs. William Howard Taft. William Howard Taft was the 26th President of the United States.

ENTERED POLITICS—as a member of the Ohio House of Representatives in 1921.

While campaigning for her husband in the 1944 Ohio Senatorial race, Martha Taft told an audience of coal-miners, "My husband is not a simple man. He did not start from humble beginnings. My husband is a very brilliant man. He had a fine education at Yale. He has been trained well for his job."

Senator Robert Taft is the son of William Howard Taft, 26th President, and grandson of Alphonso

Taft, who migrated from Vermont to Cincinnati, a penniless stranger, to become judge of the Superior Court; Secretary of War under President Grant, Attorney General of the United States and Minister to Austria and Russia.

Taft began his education in the Cincinnati public schools. Then he attended school in Manila while his father was Governor-General of the Philippines. He graduated from Yale in 1910 and from the Harvard Law School in 1913.

In 1914, Taft married Martha W. Bowers, daughter of Lloyd W. Bowers, of Minnesota, then Solicitor General of the United States. The Tafts now have four sons, William Howard III, 32; Robert Jr., 31; Lloyd B., 25; and Horace D., 22; and six grandchildren.



MRS. TAFT

Mrs. Taft often appears on the same platform with her husband, contributing the "feminine touch" to his campaigning. She has also an extensive education. When a young woman, she decided she wanted to be a French teacher and studied at the Rosemary School at Greenwich, Connecticut, and at the Sorbonne in Paris.

During World War I, Senator Taft served as assistant counsel for the Food Administration. After the war he became counsel of the American Relief Administration in Europe. Returning from Europe, he was elected to the Ohio House of Representatives in 1921 and became Republican floor leader and Speaker of the House. In 1930 he was elected to the Ohio Senate. In 1938 he ran for the United States Senate and won by a majority of 170,000 votes.

In 1940, as today, Taft was Ohio's favorite-son candidate for President. His pre-convention campaigning at that time won him thousands of friends and established him as a Republican Party leader. Since then, his reelection to the Senate has strengthened his political prestige and made him a much more formidable candidate for the 1948 nomination.

ROWE HILL

Mrs. Margaret Bryant, Cor.

Miss Rosalia Palmer went to Berlin over the week end.

Mr and Mrs Ray Hanscom called on Mr and Mrs Verne Glover of Andover Monday night.

Mrs Eva Record called on Mrs Margaret Bryant and Wilmer, Sunday.

Mr Ray Hanscom was ill Wednesday of last week.

Mrs Iva Lang and Miss Sylvia Ring of Locke Mills were at Bryant's Thursday and again Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Durward Lang of Locke Mills were callers at Wilmer Bryant's Sunday.

Mrs Lewis Libby was a visitor at Bryant's and Mrs Colby Ring's last Friday.

Mrs Margaret Bryant isn't well again. She was quite ill Friday and Saturday.

Light

The captain peering into the fog suddenly saw a man leaning on a rail only a few yards away. "You confounded fool, where in blazes do you think you're going? I've got the right of way."

"Could be, gov-nor, could be," came the sardonic reply, "but this ain't no bloomin' ship. This ere's a light'ouse."

for the supper to be served to the Postmasters' Association in June, appointed Mrs Lora Noyes, Mrs Marion Farrand, Mrs Mary Corkum, and Mrs Mabel Robinson to assist her. Mrs Cora Bennett won the mystery package, and Mrs Ella Cole received the prize for the quiz contest. Refreshments were served. Mrs Rand extended an invitation to the club to meet with her next month.

Mrs Ida Rowe of Farmington was at her home several days last week.

Mrs Harry Swan spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs Nellie Pratt, at Norway, helping her to care for her grandmother who is very ill.

Mr and Mrs Earl Chalney, Mr and Mrs Herbert Rose and King Bartlett have arrived at their summer homes.

Mrs Florence Swift, Mrs Edith Littlefield, Mrs Marjorie McAllister and Mrs Florence Ring were at Rufford recently.

Mrs Charles Melville has been at the CMG hospital for observation.

Ronald Lombard was ill a few days the first of the week.

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Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Cor.

KEEHLWETTER - CROMWELL

The marriage of Rev Franklin Keehlwetter, pastor of the Bryant Pond Baptist Church, and Miss Alice Cromwell, pastor's assistant of Bath Baptist Church, took place Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church. Rev Millard Gile of Canton officiated, using the double ring service. A large group of church and Sunday School members and friends were present.

The attendants were H Kirke Stowell and Miss Vesta Rolfe of Five Islands, Mrs Miriam McAllister sang "Because" and Mrs Herschell Abbott was pianist.

The bride wore a green suit with a corsage of red roses, and Miss Rolfe a brown suit with sweet pea corsage.

After the ceremony the couple left for a short wedding trip. On their return they will be at home at the Baptist parsonage.

Jefferson Chapter, OES will celebrate the forty-fifth anniversary of its organization with a special program at the regular meeting Friday evening, May 21.

Mrs James Farrar entered the Longwood Hospital at Boston Tuesday for surgery.

Mrs Addelyn Mann, President of the Maine Association of Ladies' Auxiliaries to the IOOF attended an Auxiliary meeting in Vermont this week.

Mr and Mrs Bertrand Whitman of Danvers, Mass., have moved to their new home here, the former Felt house.

Mrs Mabel Andrews, accompanied by Mrs Frances Farnum, Mrs Annie Bryant, Mrs Ida Farnum, Mrs Ruth Tyler and Mrs Edith Abbott went to Weld Monday evening to a meeting of Mystic Star, OES, when Assembly No. 8, Rainbow Girls of Phillips exemplified their work.

At the regular Parent-Teacher meeting Monday evening, Mrs Minnie Bourgeois, President of the South Paris PTA, was the speaker. She has recently attended the PTA Congress at Portland and gave a very interesting talk. A 4-H demonstration on the "Value of Eggs as Food" was given by Nancy Willard and Patty Coffin of Mrs Evelyn Whitney's Club. The nominating committee submitted the following names of officers for ensuing year which were elected: president, Rena Howe; vice-president, Mrs Ruth Tyler; secretary, Mrs Edith Abbott; treasurer, Mrs Elsie Cole. Refreshments were served in charge of Mrs Beulah Whitman.

Mrs Alden Chase was hostess to the Bryant Pond Garden Club,

NORTH NEWRY

Mrs. L. E. Wight, Correspondent

Mrs Bessie Parker of Livermore is staying with her sister, Mrs Pearl Kilgore, for a few days.

The Branch School had a box supper and social Friday night, May 14.

The Newry Farm Bureau held an all day meeting at the Grange Hall Friday. The program was on "Practical Home Decoration."

Mr and Mrs Mervin Rowland have bought the Appalachian House of Samuel T Smith. Mr Smith had an auction Saturday which a large crowd attended.

Miss Dorothy Tripp is very ill at this writing. Mrs Amy Bennett came home from Gilead Friday to help care for her.

Mr and Mrs Everett Ferren will move their household goods from Andover to their home in Newry this week.

The annual meeting of the Umbagog Interstate Larger Parish will be held at Errol, N. H., this Wednesday night.

Thursday afternoon, assisted by Mrs Carl Dudley and Mrs Gordon Farnum. Many attractive arrangements of spring flowers were exhibited by members and judged by popular vote. A demonstration on making corsages was given by Mrs J Douglas Thompson, with Mrs James Billings as assistant. They also showed several lovely ones which they had made. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

The Woodstock Farm Bureau will meet at the Social Hall Thursday May 27. Mrs Melva Willard, Foods Leader, will have charge of the meeting on "Easy Meals for Home Folks."

Mrs Charles Clifford returned home Thursday from the Rumford Community Hospital where she was a surgical patient.

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LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Mary Mills, Correspondent

The community club met last Thursday evening with Mrs Florence Rand. There were 34 present including old and new members and visitors. Mrs Adelaide Lister reported on the membership drive. It was decided to serve a dinner for the Men's Club next Saturday at the town hall, and a committee was appointed as follows: Mrs Ida Gravelin, Mrs Mary Andrews, Mrs Dora Ford, Mrs Joyce Hathaway and Mrs Edna Morse. Mrs Bertha Davis, chairman of the committee

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Mortgage Loans	\$111,500.30
Collateral loans	7,000.00
Stocks & Bonds	4,674,374.32
Cash in Office & bank	1,671,935.01
Agents' Balance	412,567.36
Interest & rents	15,853.90
Other assets	3,500.00
Gross Assets	\$6,896,790.89

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1947

Unpaid Losses	\$2,093,646.80
Unearned premiums	1,951,418.74
Other Liabilities	771,295.72
Surplus over Liabilities	2,080,429.63
Total Liab. & Surplus	\$6,896,790.89

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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1947

Mortgage Loans	\$24,604.9
Stocks & Bonds	902,380.32
Cash in Office & Bank	32,303.90
Agents' Balances	84,263.21
Interest & Rents	4,154.26
Other assets	4,242.58
Gross Assets	\$1,053,049.16

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1947

Unpaid Losses	\$50,000.00
Unearned premiums	207,571.58
Other Liabilities	193,094.45
Cash Capital	250,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities	251,379.16
Total Liab. & Surplus	\$1,053,049.16

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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1947

Mortgage loans	\$212,411.86
Collateral loans	1,000.00
Stocks & Bonds	4,083,737.12
Cash in office & Bank	1,000,723.89
Agents' balance	399,465.77
Interest & rents	16,863.43
Other Assets	16,292.75
Gross Assets	5,759,439.47
Less items not admitted	120,686.25
Admitted	\$5,638,753.22

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1947

Unpaid Losses	\$1,888,623.74
Unearned premiums	1,264,411.65
Other Liabilities	109,580.80
Cash Capital	1,000,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities	1,286,215.14
Total Liab. & Surplus	\$5,638,753.22

O. MYRON KIMBALL

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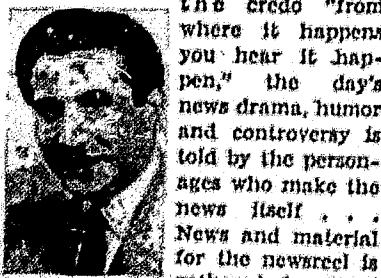


TOKIO RAIDER... A likeness of the late air-minded Gen. William E. Mitchell forms a backdrop for James H. Doolittle, former commanding general of the Eighth Air Force and leader of the historic Tokyo raid, after the latter was given the Gen. William E. Mitchell award. Presentation was made by Aviators' Post No. 743, American Legion, in New York.

A PICK OF THE STARS

By LYNN CONNELLY
NEWS Radio-Screen Editor

MUTUAL NETWORK'S new type news presentation, "Mutual Newscast," is not only a swift moving panorama of the day's events, but is actually a news program for and by the people... Based upon the credo "from where it happens you hear it happen," the day's news drama, humor and controversy is told by the personages who make the news itself...



Phil Tonken, representative sent out to scenes where news is breaking with wire and tape recording equipment... Special lines feed the personalized material to the network's New York news room where the program is produced.

PREFERRED POSITION

The controversy over the coal miners' welfare fund, which John L. Lewis used as an excuse to shut down the industry and deprive the country of some 40,000,000 tons of badly needed coal, has probably produced confusion in some minds. As an example, a great many people have come to believe that the miners have no other protection for their old age.

That is not true. The coal miners, like other industrial workers, are covered by the Social Security Act, and are entitled to the retirement benefits it provides. The miners, due to their high wage scales, will receive maximum or near maximum payment.

Coal miners are also covered by state unemployment insurance, and, with few exceptions, by workmen's compensation insurance, which protects them in case of temporary or permanent disability from accidental injury. And at least six out of ten miners, according to the Illuminist Coal Institute, have prepaid medical and hospital care for themselves and their families.

Consequently, the \$100 per month retirement fund, which is paid for by a royalty of ten cents on each ton of coal mined, is in addition to all these other benefits. It puts the coal miners in a preferred position compared with the great majority of workers, whether or not the pension fund is justified and the fact that all of it is paid by the operators and none of it by the miners raises a strong doubt as to this, may be a debatable question. But it is a certainty that all the special benefits the miners have won must be reflected in higher coal prices.

MAINTAINS YOUR NAMED TO COLLEGE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Masters E. York, for the past 10 years music instructor in Plainfield, Vt., has been appointed to the music department of Goddard College at Plainfield. Mrs. York, the former Alfreda Wheeler of Bethel, will continue this year as assistant principal of Plainfield High School. The following account which was published in The Barre Times will be of interest to many of our readers:

Every type of news story has been heard on Mutual Newscast since its debut February 2... Radio fans, actually "heard" prices dropping at the Chicago grain pits; they heard, too, the economic program of Prime Minister Atlee of England in Atlee's own voice, the solemn scene in India at Gandhi's bier and the shooting in Palestine... Phil Tonken is the narrator of this unusual and interesting news show heard every night Monday through Friday.

Platter Chatter

Victor has released a new Count Basie album in which the maestro mingles old favorites such as "My Buddy" and "Shine on Harvest Moon" with some of his own compositions... They're on the piano, they're boogie beat and they're super... Tommy Dorsey's latest is the title song from the pic, "Miracle of the Bella," backed by "Evelyn," both worth hearing... A catchy new air is a number done up by Ray McKinley called "Tambourine," with "A Man Could Be a Wonderful Thing" on the flip side. Bill on Victor, Phil Harris has recorded his story of the "Deck of Cards," wherein you learn some oddities about cards... "Somebody Else—Not Me" is on the other side... On the Master label, Eddy Howard does a mellow rendition of the haunting "Encore, Cherie," with a saucy ditty on the other side called "Just Because."

York has been music instructor in Plainfield since 1938 and in the towns of Cabot and Marshfield since 1932. He was born in Winthrop, Me., and educated in the public schools there. He studied voice under Leader Braggott of Boston and with Mrs. Mary Manter of the Coburn Classical Institute, Waterville, Me. In 1930 he graduated from the American Institute of Normal Methods where he won two prizes in composition. He taught music in the public schools of Vassalboro, Me., until June, 1932, when he entered the College of Music at Boston University. In 1933 he was a member of the Maine State Opera Company and following that season he returned to teaching music in the public schools of Winthrop, Me. He attended Bangor Theological Seminary in 1935-36 and the next year he went to Aurora College, Aurora, Ill., where he graduated in 1938.



WHAT GOES ON HERE?... Rocky Graziano, middleweight boxing champion, swings an ax as he trains for his forthcoming defense against Tony Zale at Newark, June 9. Rocky is making the chips fly at his training camp in Ellenville, N. Y. A member of his training staff sits with rifle in the background. It is anybody's guess whether he is protecting Rocky, watching for potshots at squirrels, or just using the shootstick to make Rocky do his stuff.

with a B. A. degree. He followed this by attending summer school and the University of Maine and in the same year he came to Plainfield.

He has been a director of church choirs and sang in church quartets. While in Plainfield he has directed many operettas for high school production and several for grades and has published a play.

In 1939, York married the former Alfreda Wheeler of Barre, and Bethel, Me. He will be the third member of Goddard's music department and will be an instructor in voice, direct the chorus, and group instrumental work.

GOOD CITIZENS

It has long been true that the retailers of the country are among the leading participants in good causes on both the national and local level.

The chain and independent retailers of the country did an outstanding job in selling and promoting the sale of War Bonds. And now they are stepping in with equal enthusiasm to promote the Treasury's Security Loan Drive. Advertising and window displays and posters are being used. Some of the larger stores are providing

booths where the bonds may be bought. And retailers and their employees are purchasing their quotas.

This is simply one more example of the fact that the retailer is a good citizen. He is called upon to help in every charitable and civic betterment campaign, and he always responds. Most retailers, including the managers of chain outlets take an active part in local associations and clubs. They want to make their towns better and more prosperous places in which to live and they don't begrudge the time and effort needed.

This country has been exceptionally lucky in its retailing industry, which is just another way of saying that free enterprise in retailing like free enterprise in any field is doing an excellent job. We kick about high prices, but retailing's continuous anti-inflation work has kept prices from going even higher. We kick about occasional scarcities, but our system of retailing is responsible for a fair distribution of goods among the people than any other system. With few exceptions, we can get anything we want when we want it, and at the most reasonable price possible.

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They will take place at Watford May 24; at Mexico May 25; at Brewer May 26 and at Kennebunk June 1. At each of the workshops a team of leaders experienced in various phases of church school work will be present to give training to those who this summer will direct vacation church schools.

The Rev. Gladys York of North Yarmouth, Chairman of the Committee on Christian Education of Children of the Maine Council of Churches, will head the team and supervise the workshops. She will also teach various handicrafts using paints, crayons, clay, etc., and lead a workshop on planning workshop programs. Mrs. Lloyd H. Yeagle of Cumberland Center will direct those interested in learning to conduct recreation, and Miss Marion L. Ulmer of Portland, executive secretary of the Maine Council of Churches, will conduct a workshop for those interested in learning to make miniature figures for peep boxes, dioramas and miniature and miniature scenes of many kinds. Miss Margaret Stinson of Auburn will lead workshops in choral speech and verse speaking, and will teach how to do spatterprinting and blueprinting. At Brewer, the Rev. Edwin P. Tewksbury of the Methodist Board of Education will confer with church school workers about the details of planning vacation church schools and will conduct a demonstration of audio-visual materials. At the other three workshops, these program items will be carried on by the Rev. Orville O. Loxley of Portland, associate minister of the Congregational Christian Conference.

Each session will begin at 2:30 and continue until 9 p.m. Those attending are asked to bring box supplies. An exhibit of vacation school material and books is being arranged by the Maine Council of Churches.

The programs are open to all leaders of youth and children's work without payment or registration fee. Detailed programs may be secured from any minister, or from the office of the Maine Council of Churches, 97A Exchange St., Portland.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. K. W. Hawthorne, Minister
Church School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00.

The Guild will hold their annual picnic at Songo Pond on May 26. The party will leave from the Chapel at 8:00. Celia Gorman is the Chairman of the committee-in-charge.

On Sunday evening at 8:00 the CYP Club will sponsor the showing of the film **BEYOND OUR OWN**. This film is a production of the Protestant Film Commission. It combines the superb skill of Hollywood technicians and a forthright religious message. Dormitory students at the Academy will be the special guests of the Club for the evening.

METHODIST CHURCH

William Panner, Pastor
9:45 Church School. Miss Minnie Wilson, superintendent.

11:00 Morning worship service. Sermon theme, "The Problems of the Spiritual Life."

6:30 Youth Fellowship meeting at the Church.

Tuesday evening, May 25. Men's Brotherhood meeting. Supper at 6:30.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Public service to which all who are interested are cordially invited will be held on further notice.

Golden Text: "What agreement hath the temple of God with idols? for ye are the temple of the living God" (II Corinthians 6: 16).

STEEL DESERVES SOME GOOD PUBLICITY

A short time ago, the price of steel was out on a long list of products. Most of the types of steel affected go into consumer goods, and so whatever price reductions take place will be felt directly by the buyer.

One wonders if this move by the steel industry will be given as much publicity as were the price increases that were announced a few months back. These increases involved only a few kinds of steel used by industry, and, according to the authorities barely influenced the cost of anything bought by the ultimate consumer. Even so, the industry was criticized to high heaven.

The rises in steel prices over the years have been very moderate, compared with most basic commodities. And if anyone thinks the industry is trying to extract the last possible dime out of each ton of steel he should take a look at the gray market. In that market, steel brings two or three times the price charged by the industry, and



By REV. ROBERT H. HARPER

The Temple in the Nation's Life.
Lesson for May 23: Ezra 3:10-13; Psalms 84:1-2; Ezekiel 11:16; 37:26-28.

Memory Selection: Psalms 95:6.
The temple had a commanding place in Israel's life. When the exiles returned from Babylon and laid the foundations of the second temple there was a great celebration of song and thanksgiving and praise.

The passages from the Psalms celebrated the beauty of God's house and expressed the longing of the soul for the courts of the Lord. How fine it would be if all the people of God should join with the Psalmist in longing for the place of worship! But many are content to see His house only at long intervals.

The verse concerning the sanctuary in a strange land, with the passage that follows (Ezekiel 37:26-28), indicates that the house of God can be found anywhere. The third temple was finally destroyed, but Jewish synagogues were built in all the chief cities of the Roman empire, as indeed many had been erected before the destruction of the temple. Then Christian churches built wherever men called upon God through Christ. And now humble chapels in the wood and cathedrals in the cities are found over all Christian lands.

It is in Christianity that the promise found in Ezekiel 11:16 and often repeated in other passages finds its fulfillment. Through Christ the sanctuary of God may be found everywhere, and spiritual life. Let the house of God now be the saving influence in our nation's life, and the holy place where every man can find God and be sustained in righteous living.

this would be the going price if the industry worked on a straight supply and demand principle. Instead, however, steel has fought the gray market with every weapon at its command and resolutely held the line on steel prices until higher wages and other operating costs made minor increases unavoidable.

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NOW'S THE TIME TO FIGHT THE CORN BORER

Now's the best time to fight the European corn borer by collecting all corn stalks, stems or flowering plants, weeds, and other plant refuse and burning them, says Dr. John H. Hawkins, assistant entomologist, Maine Agricultural Experiment Station. A careful spring cleanup by June 15 of all such plant material will greatly reduce the menace of the corn borer to the important corn growing industry of Maine.

Dr. Hawkins recommends that garden clubs, farm organizations, growers, canners, and other interested groups set up and carry out cleanup projects in their areas.

Cleaning up plant refuse on an area or town basis is an economical and practical way of controlling the corn borer. Unless this is done, growers will probably have to use insecticides this year to produce corn suitable for eating. The use of insecticides will increase the cost of growing corn and in turn raise the selling price.

Home gardeners and commercial corn growers who raise plants infested by the corn borer should see to it that all stalks and other refuse on their land are destroyed. This way much of the corn borer population can be killed, since the insect is now living in old plant material. Particularly dangerous are any pieces of corn stalk which remain on the surface after the soil has been prepared for spring planting. Controlling the European corn borer will benefit everyone in the state, concludes Dr. Hawkins.

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MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mrs. Augustus Carter, Correspondent
Roger Foster and Fred Stanley have employment at the Oxford Paper mill.

Miss Frances Carter and Miss Emily Day are spending a few days at the Brick-End house.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carter were callers in the neighborhood, Sunday.

Willis Ward is building a granary for Raymond Buck.

Mrs. Jennie Cummings of Abington, Mass., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cates.

SPRAYING DDT TO CONTROL BROWN-TAIL MOTHS TODAY

Weather conditions permitting 340 acres of farm and woodlands in New Gloucester were scheduled to be sprayed this Thursday morning for control of the brown-tail moth, by a United States Department of Agriculture plane.

The spraying project, in which the Maine Department of Agriculture cooperates with the Federal agency, is the first Maine example of airplane spraying for brown-tail moth control. In previous years, an area in the town of Acton has been used in successful test spraying to control gypsy moths.

The New Gloucester test uses one pound of DDT per acre.

Bobby's Idea

At Sunday school, little Bobby was deeply impressed by the story of Eve's creation from one of Adam's ribs. Later in the day, Bobby felt a pain in his side. "Oh, Mother," he gasped, "I think I am going to have a wife!"

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* LOW DOWN FROM *
* HICKORY GROVE *

You know, guessing what the little woman is going to do next—and having happen like you figure—is no mediocre type of guessing. But there is always one sure clue—she will be for a change. Maybe it is only moving the coffee table from cross-wise of the room to length-wise or maybe it is just displaying a little bit more hide around the mid-riff section versus not quite so much hide around the knee-cap section. Always something different.

So I will proceed to stick out my neck—not whether mama is going in this season for light green toe-nail polish or dark green, or what kind of head gear—no brother, not that, I am going to predict on her voting. She will vote new and different—Govt, spending is oldstuff. She wants to get in on some of the spending her ownself. Out, is going to go the guys who have been so loose with old Sambo's folding money. Ten years for one style—preposterous, says Mama.

And fellers, if the little woman does sure enough get us a change and relief, we can lay-off our ribbin' about her pink finger nails in the spring and maybe purple or lavender in the autumn—mama would then rate 3 cheers.

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Jacob Does It

A Short-Short Story
by Lillian E. Andrews

JACOB knew there was something wrong. He hadn't seen Dick in two long weeks. An age to Jacob. Dick knew just how to rub Jacob's ears and give him a pleasant tussling without hurting him. Of course, ladies were all right in their way. Jacob knew because he had so many to protect and look out for. His very own mistress, her mother and grandmother.

Usually they were very good to Jacob but sometimes they com-

he had been racing at top speed with his mind fixed on Dick. Now he was lost.

Up one street and down another he trotted. Nobody seemed to have time to pay attention to a little, lost dog. By and by Jacob crawled in under some steps and lay down. In the morning he was stiff and cold and hungry. He began to follow people hopefully. One man told him roughly to "Get out!" A boy threw a stone at him. Jacob felt a sharp pain. After that he was lame and his leg hurt all the time.

Jacob felt that the world had turned into a terrible place. He grew hungrier and hungrier. A big dog, a great, savage brute, chased him. Only Jacob's being so small that he could squeeze through a hole in a high board fence saved him. He squeezed through another hole and came out on a different street. There were streets everywhere. All Jacob could do was to keep wearily hobbling along, hoping that just around the next corner would be home.

Jacob didn't know it but at that very moment his mistress was telephoning to Dick.

"Oh, Dick, have you seen anything of Jacob?" she asked. "Methinks he saw him racing after you. He hasn't come home and we've looked and looked for him. We telephoned the Animal Rescue League but no dog answering his description has been brought in. I'm worried frantic. Suppose Jacob should get run over! Suppose he should just keep wandering until he starved or froze to death. Suppose—"

"Stop supposing things!" commanded Dick. "I'm coming right over after you. We'll drive through all the streets where I went after I remember I was traveling pretty fast. Probably Jacob tried to follow me and couldn't keep up. If anything had happened to Jacob, we'd all feel blue. Jacob is the friendliest little mutt on four legs."

Jacob sat a long time on the curb at one corner. Soon it would be night again. The wind was cold and his lame leg ached worse than ever. Just as he was thinking he must find some place to crawl into, a little car came slowly along. A little car with a young man and a pretty girl in it.

"Bow wow!" barked Jacob. "Bow wow!"

He ran out into the street, his tail wagging joyfully. The next minute he was in Margaret's arms and she was hugging him tight.

"Oh, Jacob, you blessed little nuisance!" she cried. "I'm so glad to find you."

Dick acted glad, too. They both tried to pet Jacob at once. Their hands touched and clung. Dick stopped the car and put both arms around Margaret. They seemed to forget all about the people going along the street. They even seemed to forget Jacob for a few minutes.

"I'm sorry I was so snappish," Dick said Margaret softly. "I don't care anything about Mr. Bolton. He's just an acquaintance."

"I was a jealous man," confessed Dick. "Anyhow, we've learned our lesson, Margaret. We'll trust each other after this."

Margaret must have been willing to trust him because she let him kiss her right there before everybody who happened to be going by. Both of them laughed and Dick kissed her again. Jacob cuddled down between them. As soon as he got home, he ate an enormous supper. He limped some but he trotted upstairs and down just to make sure that everything was all right. And nobody said a single word about dirty paw marks or dog hairs. Not a single word.



Jacob's pedigree was obscure.

plained of muddy paw marks on the rug or scolded him for burying his bones in the paucy bed. Dick and Jacob couldn't help making muddy paw marks on wet days and that every dog ought to have a place to bury his bones.

Jacob gave a little whine. Was that Dick's little car? Not it looked like it but it wasn't. Surely Dick would come pretty soon. When he did, Jacob would be ready to run down the steps and meet him.

Jacob's pedigree was obscure. He was small and white with brown spots, short legs and a rough, shaggy coat. His eyes were the only really beautiful thing about Jacob. They were large and brown and shined with affection.

Jacob's mistress had rescued him from a drunken tramp. Her name was Margaret Allen and she was pretty and young and gay. Dick was manager of the office where Margaret worked and sometimes she was going to be Mrs. Dick Brennan, if everything went right. But it hadn't. Margaret had come home one night and cried and cried. She hugged Jacob and told him that Dick was "a mean, jealous, old thing." She said he didn't want her even to speak to another man.

Soon after that Mr. Bolton began calling on Jacob's mistress. Mr. Bolton didn't like Jacob. He said Jacob was "a dirty, little mongrel" and once, when there was nobody else in the room, he gave Jacob a kick. Mr. Bolton made Jacob miss Dick more than ever.

Once more Jacob looked up and down the street. Dick's car was coming around the corner. Jacob gave a joyful yelp and ran down the steps. But Dick didn't stop. He just drove right along. Jacob yelped again. His short legs worked as fast as he could make them go. But he couldn't catch up. And Dick never looked around at all.

Jacob's tongue hung out. His legs ached. Dick's car was out of sight. Jacob wanted to go home. But which way was home? If he had been merely taking a stroll, he would have noticed the streets, but

"EASY DOES IT"

BY HELEN HALE

TO PUT REAL LIFE back into feathers, used in pillows, divide them in three or four cheesecloth bags, large enough to allow the feathers to expand as they fluff. Choose a sunny, breezy morning and let the bags hang on the line all day. Shake them and turn them around to the sunny side occasionally. At day's end, stuff the feathers into their clean pillowcases.

When putting away household items from the weekly wash, place them at the bottom of each pile so that all of them will have an equal amount of usage. When wringing your clothes, avoid undue wringing. Shake out most of the wrinkles while they are wet and the ironing will be much easier.

THAT SPECIAL CHINA of yours should be put away with extra care. Use rounds of felt or soft dories between pieces, to protect them from being scratched.

When refinishing furniture or wood paneling, wait at least two or three days before waxing it. If you desire a wax finish, the wax recommended is paste form finishing wax. After waxing wait a day or two before polishing.

WATER RINGS left by glasses on furniture should be wiped off immediately. If circles appear, use a clean blotter and a warm (not hot) iron.

Other blemishes such as heated objects placed on furniture and other while markings may be treated with camphorated oil.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Pineapple Refrigerator Cake
(Serves 6-8)

4 egg yolks
2 tablespoons flour
1/2 cup sugar
1 1/2 cups pineapple juice
2 tablespoons gelatin
1 cup pineapple pulp
1 pint whipping cream
1 dozen lady fingers

Cook the first four ingredients until slightly thickened. Add gelatin which has been softened in cold water. When cool, add pineapple pulp and fold in whipped cream. Line a torte pan with lady fingers. Pour in pineapple mixture and allow to chill for 24 hours. Garnish with strawberries or red cherries.

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TWO FUNDAMENTALS

by Dr. Norman Vincent Peale
(Editorial Note: Dr. Peale is minister of historic Collegiate Church on Fifth Avenue, New York City.)

Down in the Tennessee mountains is a rugged, individual American. According to a story by Dr. William L. Stigler, government engineers were flooding a deep valley in the mountains in connection with the electrical power program. Cabins on the mountainside had to be moved and one of these was occupied by this old mountaineer, whose family had lived there for generations.

When the government engineers interviewed him about moving, he refused even though offered five times as much as his land and cabin were worth. The Government built a house of native stone and installed modern conveniences. They took the old gentleman to this fine, new, modern house and informed him it was a present if he would move from the old cabin. His reply was: "Nope, won't move."

Mystified, the engineers asked, "But why not?"

The old man explained that his grandfather had started a fire on the hearth in the old cabin and had instructed his son to keep it going as a sort of family symbol. His father in turn had passed on to him the heritage, now become sacred, of keeping alight the fires of his forefathers. The engineers, with typical American sentiment and resourcefulness made the proposition that they would gather up the fire and deposit it upon the hearth in the new house, thus keeping the fire alive in a new setting. To this the old man agreed. Said he, "All I want is to keep alive the fires of my fathers."

It is very important for a nation to pause at intervals and solemnly inquire whether then ancient fires still burn. Have we allowed the flame of freedom to die down? Does it burn as brightly as when our fathers ignited it in this new land? The long traditions coming down from the past must be carefully tended unless by neglect they be lost.

Some unscholarly people slipshodly disregard the great traditions of a nation. These light minds assume themselves to all the past, as if all history began yesterday. They seem blindly unaware that a great tree climbs to the sky and is able to cope with winds and storms because the roots are sunk deeply into the earth. Up from those roots comes the life-saving energy which keeps the tree alive through long years. The sacred traditions of a nation feed the lifeblood of today from the creative experience of the past. Attention to the basic traditions of a nation serves to perpetuate the ideals of a people.

Basically two fundamental concepts underlie the American structure of government: the sovereignty of God as the Ruler of this land, and the sacredness and supreme worth of the individual human soul. These two majestic ideas joined to make this nation and together, constitute the heart of our heritage.

God's overshadowing presence has ever been recognized in American history. On one of the most fateful days in our national life the greatest figure in our history stood upon the field of Gettysburg and declared that "this nation under God shall have a new birth of freedom." That always has been the basic philosophy of the American, that under God our freedom shall be preserved, under God our freedom shall develop, under God shall we make our progress under God shall we develop human happiness.

Long ago William Penn said, "Unless we are governed by God, we will be governed by tyrants." Man must have a God. If he abandons the God of the Old Testament and the New Testament, there is only one God. Therefore, that will take the place of the Divine Being, thus pushed aside, and that is the superstate, which is in essence the deification of man. Pitiously then

Successful Parenthood

BY
MRS. CATHERINE CONRAD EDWARDS
Associate Editor, Parents' Magazine

Keep Love Flowing Steadily for Child

A LITTLE perspective is always needed for self-evaluation. So for the moment put your children out of your mind, and ask yourself, "If I were a child would I like myself as a parent?" For example, when you were little didn't you enjoy most those grownups who obviously liked children, not just you yourself because you meant something special to them? In the new motion picture, "The Search," a little boy, typical of the pitiful children wandering around Europe, having lost track of parents and friends, hoping only for a scrap of food, is befriended by an American soldier. The American feeds the child, binds his wounds, clothes him. Anyone perhaps would have done as much. But the young lieutenant in his fondness for the child, painstakingly wins his confidence, teaches him to speak English and gradually erases the marks of the child's past suffering.

Eventually the solemn-eyed, frightened little boy is laughing and rough housing with his soldier friend. And it's easy to see that the American is not acting merely from a sense of duty. He's genuinely fond of children.

This is a trait Americans have to a marked degree. If you lack it, however, it doesn't necessarily

free men will quail before the colossal power of the state, their freedom gone.

Deeply rooted in the American tradition is the idea of the sacredness of human personality and the sovereignty of God. Upon these two pillars rest American freedom. Let us resolve that our prayers and our service be given to the perpetuity of these sacred principles which make for human freedom and the well-being of mankind.

UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pratt of Bethel have moved to their home in town for the summer. They will work at the Lake House.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kenyon of New Brunswick, N. J., have arrived at their cottage for the summer season.

H. P. Tucker Sr., H. P. Tucker Jr., and a friend of Dover, Mass., spent the week end at their cottage fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wheeler and friends of Nashua, N. H., spent the week end at their cottage.

Kendrick Judkins and Malcolm Barnett have gone to Anacostia Dam to work.

Miss Ruth Judkins with Edgar Bailey as guest was home from Gould Academy Sunday.

The A. A. Council of Bethel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haglins at their camp.

The Pythian Sisters attended inspection meeting at Errol, N. H., Friday evening of last week.

Several from town attended the auction at Appalachian House at North Newry Saturday.

Judkins Store has had a new ice cream cabinet installed.

SUNDAY RIVER

Alvin Morrison, and Owen Demeritt and others were in Ketchum last week.

Leslie Lapham is working for Mr. Morrison at Ketchum.

Roger, Ramsey, and Royal Reynolds are cutting wood on Floyd Verrill's lot.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Enman and daughter, Elaine, and George Duran were in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kendall were in town Friday from Everett, Mass. Charles Frost was in Norway Tuesday and Wednesday.

Norris Brown was in town, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williamson and family were in town Sunday from Upton.

Crossword Puzzle

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Answer to Last Week's Puzzle

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1. GOLF
2. BIRD
3. FISH
4. TREE
5. FLOWER
6. FRUIT
7. VEGETABLE
8. MEAT
9. BEVERAGE
10. SNACK
11. DRESS
12. SHIRT
13. TIE
14. COAT
15. HAT
16. GLOVE
17. SHOE
18. SOCK
19. PAJAMA
20. SLIPPER
21. BED
22. BATH
23. KITCHEN
24. LIVING
25. HALL
26. PORCH
27. GARDEN
28. LAWN
29. DRIVE
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32. BOULEVARD
33. PARKWAY
34. CIRCLE
35. SQUARE
36. TRIANGLE
37. QUADRANGLE
38. PENTAGON
39. HEXAGON
40. OCTAGON
41. NONAGON
42. DECAGON
43. ELONGATED
44. COMPACT
45. METABOLISM
46. TOXIC
47. PATHOGEN
48. ANTIDOTE
49. REMEDY
50. CURE
51. TREATMENT
52. OPERATION
53. SURGERY
54. MEDICINE
55. DRUG
56. VACCINE
57. SERUM
58. PLASMA
59. BLOOD
60. URINE
61. SWEAT
62. TEARS
63. SALIVA
64. SPIT
65. SNEEZE
66. CUGH
67. LAUGH
68. SMILE
69. FROWN
70. WRINKLE
71. FURROW
72. GROOVE
73. RIDGE
74. HILL
75. MOUNTAIN
76. CLIFF
77. CANYON
78. VALLEY
79. PLAIN
80. DESERT
81. TUNDRA
82. STEPPE
83. PRairie
84. SAVANNAH
85. JUNGLE
86. SWAMP
87. MARSH
88. BAY
89. LAKE
90. RIVER
91. STREAM
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93. BROOK
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95. LAGOON
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98. GULF
99. SEA
100. OCEAN

ECONOMIC H

Happenings That Affect the Economy of Every Individual and International Inseparable from

Secretary of State Marshall's recent remarks before the House foreign affairs committee were of exceptional importance. The first time, a top official of the State Department, in the past, has spoken so directly for the people of the world. In addition, the Secretary's remarks were optimistic for the future. We have seen, in the past, that the world is not as optimistic as it has been in the past. We have seen, in the past, that the world is not as optimistic as it has been in the past.

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There may be a general course of our foreign policy. It is true that a feeling of confidence is being built up. It is true that a feeling of confidence is being built up. It is true that a feeling of confidence is being built up. It is true that a feeling of confidence is being built up.

Still another section of Marshall's remarks attracted attention. He is aggressive in building up strength, and he has a peace-time selective service law. He has a peace-time selective service law. He has a peace-time selective service law. He has a peace-time selective service law.

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ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Dinner Table, Dividend Checks and Tax Bills of Every Individual—National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare

Secretary of State George Marshall's recent remarks before the House foreign affairs committee were of exceptional interest. For the first time, a top official came out directly for a balance of power between the Soviet dominated part of the world and the west. In addition, the Secretary's outlook for the future was somewhat more optimistic than it has been on previous occasions. World conditions, he said, have reached bottom, and some improvement can be expected.

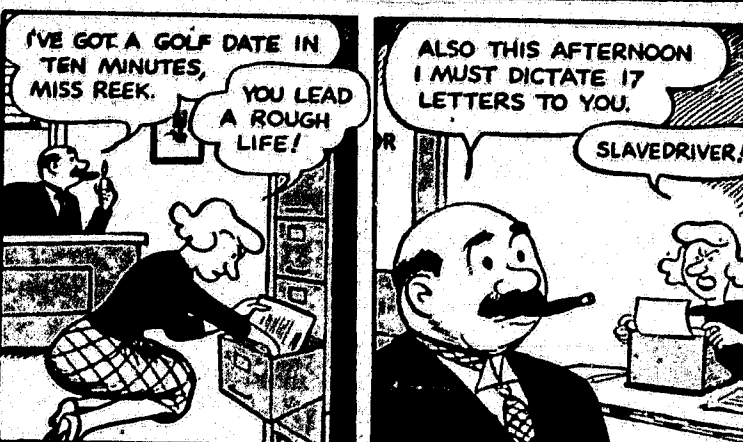
General Marshall's main purpose in appearing before the committee was to strongly oppose the proposal, now up for discussion in Congress, to change the United Nations organization and leave Russia out if she continues her obstructionist policy. That, in his opinion, would simply produce more cleavage in the world, and greatly increase the danger of an international catastrophe. Then he added: "It is a misconception to suppose that domination of the world by a single system is inevitable. It is a misconception to suppose that differing systems cannot live side by side in peace under the basic rules of international conduct prescribed by the United Nations." Finally, he described the U. N. as "an open door to communication between the east and the west."

There may be a guide in this to the course of our foreign policy in the days to come. It is certainly true that a feeling is making the rounds that we and the Soviet Union can and must come to some sort of an agreement. This agreement would necessarily prescribe spheres of influence of both a political and an economic nature. It would be roughly comparable to the tacit arrangement that existed between England and Imperial Germany many years ago.

In line with this, a number of quarters are now suggesting that it would be wise to arrange another conference of heads of the major powers. The fact that the previous conferences did almost nothing to promote the cause of peace doesn't prove that another one would be equally non-productive. The presidents and ministers and their advisors would have the enormous experience of the past two years to draw upon, and they'd be in a position to take a completely realistic view of their problems and differences.

Still another section of General Marshall's remarks deserve wide attention. He is aggressively in favor of building up our military strength, and he has endorsed both peacetime selective service and universal military training. But, he said, "The emphasis often placed solely on the military aspects of world affairs does a disservice to the cause of peace. . . . The more the present differences are talked about and treated exclusively as a military problem, the more they tend to become so." This would seem to indicate that the Secretary, who is one of the most distinguished professional soldiers in American

MAYOR McGUP . . . By J. Jarvis



history, is definitely concerned lest an excess of saber rattling lead to a drawing of blade. The danger that a real war hysteria might be fanned by loose talk and wild rumors is too obvious to require discussion.

It is perfectly clear that the "one world" ideal has been abandoned, at least for the time being—though many still feel that it must be the ultimate solution if terrible wars are to be avoided. We are going to have two worlds, and we will lead one of them and Russia will lead the other. The great difficulty is to establish the line of demarcation. No one seriously believes that the Soviet Union will surrender any of the gains she has made since the end of the war. But there is some reason to feel that she may be willing to stop where she is. A short time ago, it looked as if a Soviet drive clear to the Mediterranean was in prospect, and if that had happened that chance of war would have been increased. Now that menace is nowhere as imminent as it was. The most explosive spot on the globe is the Middle East, but even there, it looks as if the trouble can be localized, though no one has made any progress at all in figuring out how the Arabs and the Jews can be brought to terms.

U. S. policy today isn't a great

deal different than Theodore Roosevelt's policy of "walk softly and carry a big stick." The big stick is our preparedness program. But, at the same time, the olive branch is being held out to all world.

The Ohio primaries did exactly nothing to clarify the Republican presidential situation. Stassen did fairly well, but not well enough to add impetus to his boom. And Taft's showing was about minimum he needed to keep him in the running as one of the leading candidates.

The fact that the campaign is really a horse race is shown by the strength of the candidates in pledged convention votes. Of the 1,094 delegates who will go to the convention, 770 have been chosen. Dewey has 125, Stassen 68 and Taft 44. It takes 548 to nominate. So no one is anywhere near the winner's circle yet.

Some of the insiders are saying that the ticket will be Vandenberg-Warren. That based on the assumption that Taft and Dewey will cancel each other, and that their followers will then unite to stop Stassen.

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EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Rodney Howe, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Edgar Dunham and children of Locke Mills were callers on Mr and Mrs Leland Coolidge Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Tracy Dorey and family of Canton were callers in town Sunday.

Dean Farrar of Rumbold was home over the week end.

Mr and Mrs Leland Coolidge and family were guests of Mr and Mrs Edgar Dunham at Locke Mills Saturday night.

Mr and Mrs Oiva Whitman and daughter of South Paris were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Carroll Curtis.

George Haines has returned to Mrs Bernice Noyes after visiting with Mr and Mrs Burton Abbott.

Mr and Mrs Bruce Boyce and son of South Paris were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Richard Houle.

Mrs Chester Harrington and two children returned home from York Friday where she had been visiting relatives.

Mr and Mrs Wayne Moore and Mr and Mrs Lewis Powers of South Paris were guests of Mrs Evelyn Harrington Sunday.

Dorothy Ann Bartlett was ill with asthma Tuesday.

Deborah Farwell of Mexico was at her home here over the week end.

Charbel Foster was ill with an abscess in her ear Friday night.

Victor Robinson went to Auburn Thursday to visit his brother and to get his glasses and came back Friday.

Mrs Edith Howe returned home from Springfield, Mass., Monday night where she had been visiting Mr and Mrs William Howe and family.

Mr and Mrs Robert Hastings, Mary Alice and Ann Hastings, and members of the Gould Academy Athletic Council spent Sunday at the Hastings' camp at Umbagog.

Mrs Floribel Haines has been ill with laryngitis.

A Stanley brush party was held at the home of Mrs Guy Bartlett on Tuesday night of last week with Mrs Doris Hayes of West Paris demonstrating.

William Hastings was in Orono over the week end.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mr and Mrs Omar Giberson from Bingham were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Leon Kimball, calling on the Wardwell families.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Andrews are spending a few days with their daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Arthur Wardwell.

Mrs "Duckie" Ring and mother Mattie Ring called on Mr and Mrs Roy Wardwell, Sunday.

A large cow moose was seen in Wardwell's field on Tuesday morning.

GREENWOOD CENTER

—Mrs. Beryl Martin, Correspondent

Recent callers at Rawson Martin's were: Mr and Mrs Frank Waterhouse, West Paris; Mr and Mrs Lee Mills and family, Locke Mills; Mr and Mrs Keith Cole, Mr and Mrs Don Keene and children, Mr and Mrs Martin Farr, Leland, Wynona and Arnold Farr all of West Paris; Rex Martin, Harrison; Junior Bradbury and Harold Scott, Buckfield.

There have been quite a number of brown trout taken at Twitchell Pond during the past three weeks. Recent callers at Dwight Martin's, Roy Morgan is working at Hanover.

Several of the summer camps have been opened by their owners.

Mr and Mrs Guy Parker, South Bethel, Durward and Merle Lang and Francis Palmer, Rowe Hill, were recent callers at Beryl Martin's.

Mr and Mrs Clifford Case of Trenton, N. J., are at their camp

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Mrs Glenn Martin called on Besse Ring and Lempi Yates, Tubbs District, recently.

Several from this vicinity worked on the ball field at Locke Mills Sunday.

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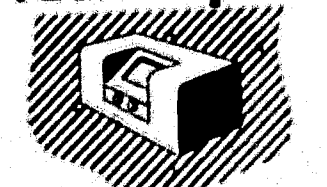
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Security Loan Campaign Leader



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Work and Service Are One

IT IS not always easy to appraise the reason, scope, and purpose of one's life amidst the contradictory and unstable conditions of mortal existence. Who has not known at times a sense of aimlessness and frustration, even uselessness, sometimes amounting to a feeling that one is not wanted at all?

Yet such pessimism can appear only when materiality is accepted as the basis of existence. When thought is lifted higher, and we recognize the spiritual as the real and eternal, the conviction grows that a definite purpose pervades real existence; that each has his niche in the universal scheme. There follows naturally the question, "How best can I discern my true mission in life and develop my capacities and talents to the best advantage?"

Christ Jesus defined the highest form of work and the universal mission of all when he told the people (John 6:29), "This is the work of God, that ye believe on him whom he hath sent."

When work is inspired by a love for God and humanity, we find that work and service are one, and the spirit of Christ pervades our endeavors. There is no greater incentive to good productive work than to have "a mind to work" for God, and to let the Christ, Truth, permeate consciousness.

In commanding his son, Solomon, to build the temple, King David counseled him to know God and serve Him willingly and unflinchingly with heart and mind. And he asked of the people (I Chronicles 29:5), "Who then is willing to consecrate his service this day unto the Lord?" This is still the question, and on mankind's response depend the happiness and prosperity of millions. Mary Baker Eddy tells us in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" (p. 483), "One must fulfill one's mission without timidity or dissimulation, for to be well done, the work must be done unselfishly."

How well is this illustrated in the story of the rebuilding of the wall of Jerusalem, as related in the book of Nehemiah! Jerusalem, containing the temple which Solomon had built, stood in those days as a symbol of the worship of the one God as opposed to the idolatry of the surrounding nations. Therefore its rebuilding became an important factor in the Jewish national life. Nehemiah, a spiritually-minded man, was divinely led to superintend the rebuilding of the city wall. His confident leadership inspired the Jews to work unsparringly and devotedly. They co-operated with him mag-

nificently, and the Bible tells us that the wall was built in record time, "for the people had a mind to work."

The physical, moral, and spiritual rebuilding made necessary by the devastation of two world wars accentuates the need for a true sense of work and service today — for "a mind to work." Getting must give place to giving. Cooperation and mutual respect between men and nations must replace suspicion and disputes. Then the right idea of work and service will lead to happiness and abundance for all. Jesus emphasized that his disciples called him Master, even when he washed their feet. He did this menial task as an example of humility, service, and purity to all (see John 13:1-15). He said, "I am among you as he that serveth" (Luke 22:27). What are we doing about seeing work and service as indivisible, motivated by the love which is the essence of the divine nature and its creation? "To be well done, the work must be done unselfishly." — *The Christian Science Monitor.*

BETHEL INSTITUTIONS TO BENEFIT BY THE WILL OF GEORGE HODGDON

By the will of George B. Hodgdon of Auburn, who died April 14, \$500 was left to the Stanton Bird Club of Lewiston. Half of the income of the fund is to be used for food for birds to be distributed by the Bethel Boy Scouts, and half for an outstanding Boy or Girl Scout in Bethel. The Bethel Methodist Church, Mount Abram Lodge IOOF, and Sunset Rebekah Lodge will share the residue, according to the terms of the will.

BORN

In Rumford, May 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Filmore Clough of Bethel, a daughter.

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May 6, Arthur Tanguary of Gorham, N. H., and Miss Arlene Brown of Bethel.

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